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Notes from the boss.....



Today is a day for looking forward, looking forward with optimism to a season we all hope will bring success to Bolton Wanderers Football Club.

It has taken a lot of hard graft and countless telephone calls during the summer to assemble what I am confident will prove to be a strong and effective squad of players. We have brought in a number of new players over the past few weeks — some of whom are well known to you. Hopefully they will hit it off from the word 'Go' but it goes without saying that it might take a short time for all the new lads to blend in with each other.

All I would ask of you, the fans, is to show a little patience if things don't click straight away.

What I am confident about is the character of the individual players I have brought into the club. I know for sure that we have players with the ability to scratch a good result even when the team as a whole might not be playing so well.

With your support in the weeks and months ahead, I am sure these players will produce the goods for us.

Your support last year was absolutely magnificent. Amid all the disappointments, your backing made me proud to have managed a club which had certainly the best away support in Division 3.

I hope we can do as well support wise in Division 4. If you do your stuff I can promise that the players will do theirs. There will be no lack of effort this season on the team's part.

Looking at our pre-season work it was obviously disappointing not to reach the final of the Manx Cup. But there were good points from which we could draw optimism. It took Burnley keeper Chris Pearce and a string of terrific saves to keep down the score last Friday and although I know we would not have reached the final anyway, we might at least have had a big victory to carry us into our League programme in an extra confident mood.

I'm sure you will all join me and the players in wishing Mick Brown a speedy recovery after his recent accident. Mick is in good spirits and raring to get back to work but in the meantime many thanks to Ron Atkinson for stepping in to help. He has taken a few training sessions over the past couple of weeks

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Burnden Visitors

CREWE ALEXANDRA

Today we welcome the Directors, Players and Supporters of Crewe Alexandra.

They arrive at Burnden Park rather ahead of schedule, for the fixtures computer worked out a date in February 1988 but due to improvements currently being carried out at Gresty Road, the Football League have allowed the fixture to be switched.

When the work is completed however, it will mean a new look Gresty Road, and one has to admire the progressive outlook by Crewe Alexandra Football Club.

Looking to the future a new soccer centre for community use is being built next to the ground which includes a 5-a-side Astro-turf pitch.

In addition visitors to Crewe will find much improved facilities. The visiting supporters end is being increased in area so that it will now be able to accommodate up to 2,000 spectators.

Visiting teams will share the benefits as well for new dressing rooms and Directors Rooms are included in the improvements. Crewe are obviously looking to go places for refurbishment to Vice Presidents Rooms enable the Club to extend their Sponsorship facilities and prior to the commencement of the season twelve months had been sponsored.

In the pre-season "warm up" games Crewe have had outings against Port Vale, Altrincham and Northwich Victoria.



CREWE ALEXANDRA F.C. Season 1987/88

Back Row Left to Right: Barry Bennell (Youth Manager), Jimmy Dyer (Physio), Geoff Parker, Steve Wright, Wakely Gage, Paul Edwards, Brian Parkin, Chris Cutler, Aiden Murphy, Peter Billing, Phil Blakemore (Trainer), Pat Slack (Assistant Manager).
Middle Row Left to Right: Wayne Goodison, John Gymer, Dave Platt, Dario Gradi (Manager), Peter Bodak, Terry Milligan, Steve Davis.
Front Row Left to Right: Paul Allen, Ian Macowat, John Pemberton, Bob Wakenshaw, Stuart Ritchie. Photo by Courtesy of Steve Finch.



VISITORS PEN FILE

MANAGER DARIO GRADI, has been with the club since the start of Season 1983/84 and during his time here he has been laying the foundation of a Youth Policy which will develop the young players of the future. He has a long association with football and has been with Derby County, Wimbledon, Crystal Palace, Orient and Chelsea. Has always been a great believer in young players and there are several on the Crewe staff who should soon break into the league side.

PETER BILLING. He first came to Crewe on loan from Everton and made his debut for the Alex in the home game against Preston North End on 26th December 1986. He was shortly afterwards transferred to Crewe on a permanent basis and the club paid out a club record fee of £12,000 to secure his signature. He had started his career with non league side South Liverpool and it was from that club that he moved to Goodison Park. A strong central defender.

PETER BODAK. He started his career with Coventry City, firstly as an apprentice later signing as a full time player for them. This spell in the Midlands was followed by spells with both Manchester United and Manchester City before going out to play in Hong Kong. After some time there he came back to Europe playing in Belgium and it was on his release from Belgium that he teamed up with Crewe Alex. He too made his debut in the Crewe colours on Boxing Day and in all made 22 appearances in the league side up to the end of the season. When playing in the away game at Wolverhampton scored a hat trick, the first of his career and the first by a Crewe player for some time.

CHRIS CUTLER. He is now starting his third full season with Crewe, the club he joined after being released by Bury. During his time at Gigg Lane he gained valuable league experience in their league side and during the summer months he played regularly in Finland and during his time there was a consistent scorer. He normally plays in a midfield role but has also operated successfully in a strikers role or on the left wing. Made 33 league appearances last season.

DAVE PLATT. He has been with Crewe since January 1985 when he joined them firstly on loan after playing for Manchester United in a friendly game at Gresty Road. Shortly after this he joined the club on a full time basis and has been a regular member of the side ever since. Made his debut in the home game against Mansfield on the 29th January 1985. He too had started out with Chadderton and after trials at Old Trafford had joined them on a permanent basis. Last season he was elected as the clubs Player of the Year by both the senior and junior supporters for not only had he brought his total of league appearances to 108 but had finished as the clubs top scorer with 23 league and 1 F.A. Cup goal including his first league hat trick against Stockport County.

WAKELY GAGE. Another of the clubs close season signings having joined the club from Peterborough United. One of the tallest defenders in the football league he started his football career with non league side Desborough before moving to Northampton Town. An experienced central defender he also had a short spell with Chester before he moved to Peterborough where he was a regular member of their league side last season.

JOHN GYMER. Born in Romford, his first and only league club was Southend United and it was from Roots Hall that he recently joined Crewe in the close season. Normally occupies one of the strikers positions. During his time at Southend he had a number of outings in the league side but could not command a regular place in their side.

WAYNE GOODISON. Born in Wakefield his first league club was Barnsley and during his time at Oakwell he played in their second division side. He came to Gresty Road in early September 1986 on loan and made his debut in Crewe colours in the home game against Wolves and was later to sign for Crewe on a full time basis. A full back he normally plays on the right side and last season he made 35 league appearances for the Alex.

TERRY MILLIGAN. He is now starting his second season at Crewe. He came to Crewe at the start of the 86/87 season on a trial basis and after playing in the pre-season games he was offered a contract. He had previously been with Oldham Athletic and had also been playing in New Zealand. A midfield player, he only missed 6 league games all through injury and scored 3 league goals, hopes to add to that total this season.

JOHN PEMBERTON. Started his career with Chadderton and was then invited for trials by Manchester United. Next strip for John was Rochdale and he moved to Gresty Road just before the end of the 84/85 season and quickly got into the league side playing in one of the full back positions but more often than not now occupies the No. 3 spot. A very mobile player who adopts an attacking role whenever possible. His total of league appearances to the end of the 86/87 season for Crewe totalled 85.

ROB WAKENSHAW. Born Ashington. He started his league career with Everton and after making just 8 league appearances for them he was transferred to Carlisle United for a fee of £20,000. Being unable to gain a regular place he also had a spell on loan with Doncaster Rovers before he joined Rochdale where last season he was a regular member of their line up. Normally plays in one of the front positions.

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MATCH REPORT



With John Thomas and Jeff Chandler around, few fourth division defences will be able to write off the Wanderers attack in the coming season.

Second division Blackburn turned out to be much too strong to let 4th division Blackburn turned out to be much too strong to let 4th division opposition hinder their pre-season programme.

But Rovers survived a late scare and needed a John Millar winner two minutes from time to claim a 2-1 victory and first blood in the Lancashire Manx Cup.

Thomas and Chandler sprang the big surprise in the 74th minute.

Rovers were in control up to then, their feathers hardly ruffled, as they defended Simon Garner's 8th minute goal.

Suddenly, out of the blue, Chandler let fly with a shot and Thomas (by his own admission not the best header of a ball) instinctively swooped to deflect the ball into the top corner.

At last the Bolton attack had some spark about it.

Bolton Wanderers were in miserly mood as they cut Blackpool's towering twin strikers down to size at Bloomfield Road.

Blackpool boss Sam Ellis has splashed out a combined £60,000 for bustling Keith Walwyn, one of Wanderers targets, and lanky Tony Cunningham, from Newcastle for £25,000.

But the new black duo got no change out of Wanderers centre backs Dave Sutton and Mark Came in a scoreless draw that threw this group of Lancashire Manx Cup wide up.

After seeing Wanderers stand defiant against his battering ram tactics, Ellis complained out of sheer frustration: "I don't know why it is but Bolton always seem to play well against us".

It was all he could do to stop himself stamping his feet as he said it.

Wanderers certainly battled well for their

first reward in the competition giving a performance which should do their defensive confidence a power of good.

"You won't get a test any tougher than that," was the way Phil Neal put it.

The Bolton boss is using the competition to give his first teamers valuable match practice in readiness for the new season.

Missed opportunities and a crucial late lapse that led to the 1-1 draw with Burnley - Fourth Division rivals to be - was the most accurate yardstick yet by which to assess Wanderers' chances in the season ahead.

And Neal was stating the obvious somewhat when he warned: "It's not going to be easy."

Certainly not if Wanderers fail to make the most of their overwhelming dominance of games. And certainly not if they drop their guard with such alarming consequences.

Oghani had the smile of satisfaction as he left Burnden Park.

Discarded when he was freed by Neal in May, the strike was booed and barracked by the Bolton supporters and targeted for some strong tackling by the Wanderers' defenders, one challenge from behind earning Mark Came a second-half booking.

But Oghani had the last laugh, latching on to Steve Gardner's pass to expose some casual defensive work with a calmly taken goal 10 minutes from time.

Up to then, with new "volunteer" coach Ron Atkinson watching them from the stands, Wanderers had been well on top and, but for Burnley keeper Chris Pearce, could have been comfortably in front.

They struggled to make their superiority count but got their reward after 66 minutes when Gardner, the ex-Manchester United defender, turned Trevor Morgan's cross into his own goal.

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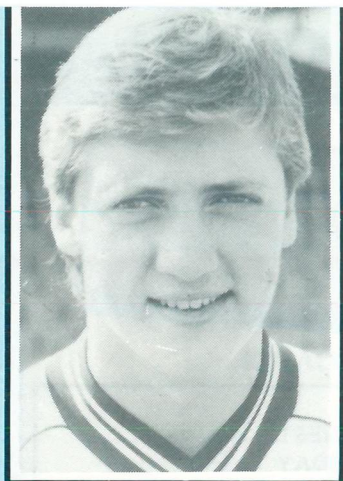


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GUEST SPOT

JIMMY PHILLIPS, GLASGOW RANGERS

This week we have a story of a local lad making good. Showing off a nice sun tan following a summer holiday in Portugal, Jimmy Phillips made a surprise close season return to Burnden Park.

Jimmy signed for the Wanderers straight from Canon Slade Grammar School and spent five happy years here, two years as apprentice and three years as full time professional.

He was literally still regaining his breath after one of Scotland's glamour clubs had swooped to secure his services and Jimmy had become another English player to move North of the Border. He recalls "I had just about played my 100th game for Bolton when Rangers came in for me. It came as a surprise and completely out of the blue. Phil Neal came to my home about tea-time and informed me that Graeme Souness had made a bid which would take me to Ubrox Park. I went up to Glasgow straight away and was met by Graeme Souness at Glasgow railway station and then whisked off to the Grosvenor Hotel".

The following day personal terms were sorted out and Jimmy Phillips had become a Glasgow Rangers player.

He continued, "I was taken straight to the training session where I had to borrow some boots!"

Jimmy says that Ibrox Park is very impressive and is mostly seated. At Rangers he teams up with many International players such as Terry Butcher, Chris Woods, Graham Roberts all who have moved North of the Border, David Cooper and Ally McCoist. The physiotherapist at Rangers is Phil Boersma

formerly Liverpool and ex-Manchester United star Jimmy Nichol is Reserve Team Coach.

Speaking about life at Ibrox, Jimmy Phillips said, "When I moved there, only seven games of the season remained and I was fully match fit so the training methods at that stage of the season didn't differ too much than those at Bolton. Ask me after July 8th when we report back".

"One club policy is that we have to turn up for training sessions smartly dressed in a shirt and tie, no casual wear is allowed".

Jimmy has appeared on the substitutes bench in six first team games - they use two subs in Scotland, a policy which has been adopted in England this season.

He has already won one medal. "I played in the Glasgow Cup Final against Celtic, a competition where club's reserve teams compete and we won 1-0 at Parkhead in front of 20,000 spectators".

Jimmy usually manages to get home to Bolton about every two weeks. He reckons that the football played in Scotland is more skilful and has been impressed with the friendly atmosphere which has enabled all the English lads to settle in great.

This season Jimmy will be competing with regular full-back Stewart Munro for the first team but admitted that he always looks for Bolton's result after every game. He said, "I felt really disappointed when Bolton went down because they have been good to me and I would like to see them bounce straight back this coming season".

Maybe next time we meet Jim, you could have a Scottish accent!!

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Only 10 months previous Mr Howe had won the £1,000 Lifeline prize. It certainly seems a quick way to make dough!

During the course of the evening one of the players was also taken by surprise. Warren Joyce couldn't believe his luck when his biggest fan walked into the pub.

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FLASH BACK

5 YEARS AGO. The Wanderers began their pre season build up with a couple of games by the sea. On the 6th August, 1982 they won 6-1 at Fleetwood with two goals each from Paul Jones, Tony Henry, Peter Reid and Chris Thompson also getting onto the scoresheet. Ian Moores, Ray Deakin and John McGovern all made their first appearances in a Wanderers shirt.

Three days later Tony Henry and Mike Doyle netted the goals that beat Northern Premier League side Morcambe.

14th August, 1982. Bolton went down 3-2 at Preston in a Lancashire Cup tie with Tony Henry twice put the Wanderers back in the game. North End's winner came from Steve Elliott in the 55th minute.

10 YEARS AGO. Bolton visited West Germany playing four games in eight days. They lost at Bayreuth, Stuttgart and Troisdorf, the only victory being at Delmenhorst.

6th August, 1977. Ray Train netted his only goal in a Bolton shirt which was enough to defeat Burnley in a Anglo Scottish cup tie at Burnden.

10th August, 1977. Blackburn Rovers virtually booked themselves a place in the quarter finals of the Anglo Scottish cup by defeating the Wanderers 2-0 at Ewood Park. 13th August, 1977. A Roy Greaves penalty in the 16th minute, awarded for handball, gave the Wanderers victory at Blackpool but it was not enough to go any further in the competition.

15 YEARS AGO. Bolton's pre season kicked off with a friendly at Burnden against Preston North End. An own goal from Graham Hawkins and a twenty five yard special from Don McAllister won the game for the Wanderers. The same day, Neil Whatmore netted for the reserves, in a 3-2 defeat at Ashton United.

Czech side, Bohemian's of Prague were entertained at Burnden, a 1-1 draw resulting with Roy Greaves equalising a goal from Jarkovsky.

The Wanderers completed their build up with a 2-1 defeat at Raith Rovers, John Byrom scoring late in the game, whilst the youth team returned from Holland with the Volendam Trophy, after five straight wins without conceding a goal.

12th August, 1972. Bolton commenced their League programme with a 3-0 home win over promotion favourites Bournemouth. An own goal from Mel Machin after five minutes set them on their way with two John Byrom goals completing the scoring.

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RESERVES NEWS

The Wanderers reserves and youth sides have had a busy pre season schedule with a nucleus of last season's Lancashire youth cup winning squad expected to make their mark this term.

From that side Ryan Price, Nick Spooner, Derek Booth, Chris O'Brien and Mark Raven are still with the club, whilst Paul Hughes, Chris Banks, Ian Callaghan and Nicky Brookman are professional. These players along with the more experienced ones from the first team squad should show up well in this season's Central League after last terms disappointment of having to seek re-election. Both Notts County and ourselves were re-elected and Mansfield Town joined the League, replacing Wolves who withdrew last season.

Middlesbrough, Oldham, Newcastle and Blackburn were relegated to the second division, the first two having been promoted twelve months earlier, whilst Huddersfield, Grimsby, Blackpool and Bradford City were promoted.

This seasons warm up games commenced on the 25th July with a visit to Mold Alexandra where the Wanderers won 2-0 thanks to first half goals from Mike Jeffrey and Derek Booth. The young Bolton side performed well and they carried this on in their next game at Chadderton four days later with a 4-2 win on a poor playing surface. Despite going a goal down Bolton fought back to lead at half time with a goal a piece from Neil Fisher and Mark Raven. A powerful header from Derek Booth on the hour gave the Wanderers a two goal advantage and a minute later a twenty yard shot from Mark Raven struck the back of the net.

July's engagements were rounded off on the last day of the month with a scoreless draw against Chorley at Victory Park. The Wanderers almost snatched victory in the final minute when Mark Raven volleyed wide of the post from a good position. A round up of the remainder of the pre season games will appear in next weeks programme.

? QUIZ ON OUR VISITORS ?

1. Two ex-Manchester United Munich survivors have held the Managers role. Who are they?
2. What's Crewe's nickname?
3. Which ex-Wanderer has also had a spell as Manager?
4. In 1960 Crewe suffered their record defeat. It was in an F.A. Cup Replay, against whom?

1. Dennis Viollet, Harry Gregg.
2. 'Railwaymen'.
3. Warwick Rimmer.
4. 13-2 v Spurs. After the match they left Platform 13 from Euston and arrived at Platform 2 in Crewe.



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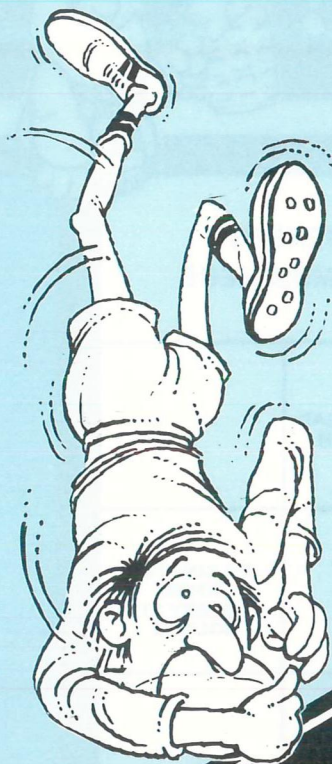
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Hello! Original, that's what I thought but you've got to start somehow and when the Editor approached looking for a new Nigel Dempster, thats exactly what he said, what the heck I thought, beats writing letters to the Buff for a living.

So it's Fourth Division Football, no good looking back on last season, although at times it looked as if the lads couldn't score even if they went round to one of Cynthia Paynes parties, only kidding lads, lets hope its Dave Felgate who's keeping more clean sheets than his wife can wash.

At this time of the season, every one of the 92 clubs are hoping of success but by the time May comes round, the Highes and the Lowes will have been realised and more to the point Managers heads will have rolled faster than the guillotine can strike. The Fourth Division these days can be a graveyard, only time will tell if Lincoln can climb the ladder to football status again but Tranmere and Burnley will confirm that quadruple gates come flocking when they think a execution is imminent.

This season being the first in our distinctive history in the Fourth Division, lets hope it's short and sweet and remember Watford and Wimbledon were here not so very long ago.



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Burnden Park News



TWINS FROM 'TWIN TOWN'

Stefan Muller and his twin brother Daniel (he's the elder by 13 minutes) arrived in Bolton recently, from Germany. They live in Paderborn the 'twin' town of Bolton and support Eintracht Frankfurt but whilst in town they intend taking in a couple of games at Burnden Park. They

were welcomed to the club by Manager Phil Neal last week and the two 18 year olds were impressed with what they saw.

Daniel wants to be a journalist and therefore spent some time last week at the Bolton Evening News.

Stefan is looking to forestry. Pictured here is Daniel (left) and Stefan accompanied by Phil.





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NOTEBOOK

REFLECTIONS

The Football League's centenary season gets under way today with Crewe Alexandra making their first ever League visit to Burnden Park.

By the time May 2nd 1988, the last Saturday of this season, comes round the Wanderers will have played all the other 91 League sides at least once on Burnden Park but hopefully the day will be more remembered for a return to the third division.

The FA Cup and Freight Rover Trophy competitions have thrown the two sides together on five occasions with the Wanderers unbeaten in these games.

In 1896 the Wanderers visited Crewe in the first round of the FA Cup, the home side having already fought their way through seven preliminary rounds. Bolton playing their first game in the seasons competition. Crewe at the time were the only amateur club in the Football League and the professionals from Bolton proved too strong winning 4-0.

It wasn't until 1967 that our paths crossed again at competitive level with a third round FA Cup tie at Burnden. Once again the Wanderers came out on top against the underdogs but it took a 43rd minute penalty from Francis Lee to settle the issue.

More recently the Freight Rover Trophy has seen the clubs in opposition. In January 1985 Dave Waller gave Crewe the lead after only ten seconds at Burnden but the Wanderers fought back to win 3-2 with a couple of Warren Joyce goals and one from Tony Caldwell. Gary Blissett scored Crewe's second goal in a

game that was played in blizzard conditions. The second leg at Gresty Road ended goalless although Crewe's average gate was doubled to 3303 with a large Wanderers following that saw them extend their unbeaten run to six games.

The last encounter between the sides was in the same competition in January 1986 when a 64th minute goal from George Oghani at Burnden was enough to put the Wanderers through to the knock-out stages.

GOLDEN OLDIES

3rd March 1945.

Whilst a battle was raging for the Rhine Bridge at Neuss in Germany the Wanderers and Crewe were fighting out a Football League North war game at Gresty Road. These games are not included in the official league records as clubs often borrowed players to make up the numbers or as happened in a lot of cases borrow quality players to replace ones already on the books.

The Wanderers kept to the rules and played their own players whenever they were available and this paid dividends with the Football League North Cup coming to Burnden Park after a two legged final victory over Manchester United. They then proceeded to win the North v South final with a 2-1 margin over Chelsea, who had a team full of 'borrowed' players, at Stamford Bridge.

Crewe inflicted the Wanderers third defeat of the year with a 4-1 win before a crowd of 5059. Heath and Boothway each netted a couple and Nat Lofthouse was on the mark for the Wanderers with his 14th goal in the last eleven games.

OUT & ABOUT

SEEING RED!

This season we see the re-introduction of the card system used by referees.

The yellow and red cards were last used some two seasons ago and then dropped.

However UEFA has encouraged the League to bring the cards back and bring us in line with other European countries. Furthermore they reckon the system is a help to spectators when it comes to disciplinary action having to be taken by the referee.

THE FOUL THROW!

Another alteration in the rules will apply this season.

Players will now be penalised for "pinching ground" on the throw-in.

The penalty is that offenders will lose possession and it is now considered as a 'foul throw'.

TWO SUBSTITUTES will be allowed in all matches this term.

They have experienced this ruling in Scotland and now it is to be tried at Football League level.

Speaking of Scotland, we noticed recently a snippet in the 'Sunday Post'.

It referred to Berwick Rangers supporters club who suffered a loss last year of £198.

Income totalled £708 and expenditure including a £450 donation to the club was £906! **LIFELINE** could be the answer here.

CUMBRIA KEENESS!

GRAHAM DARBY, father of the Wanderers utility player, Julian travels 116 miles to every home game.

Employed in banking, Grahams job promotion took him to Seascale and it now means a two and a half hour drive to see his son in action.

Wonder if he has realised that over the season he will have clocked up in excess of 5000 miles?





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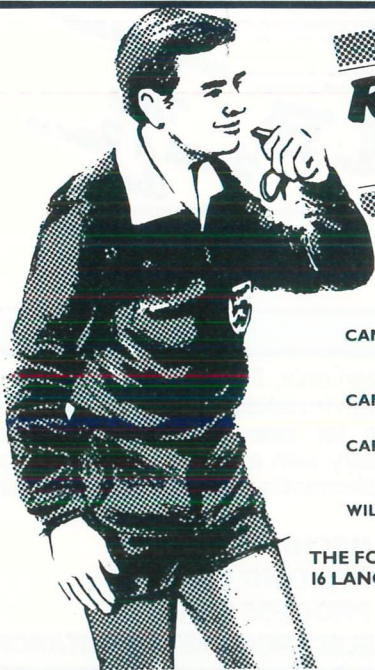
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BIRTHPLACE: Blaenau Ffestiniog, North Wales.

FAMILY: Wife Lynn, Lisa and Jordan.

PREVIOUS CLUBS: Bolton, Lincoln, Grimsby.

NICKNAME: Frankie, 'Fred, don't ask me why?

BIGGEST INFLUENCE ON CAREER: Charlie Wright and Colin Murphy.

HONOURS: Full Welsh International Cap, PFA 3rd Division Goal Keeper two years running.

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AUGUST

Sat. 15th	Crewe Alexandra	H
Mon. 17th	Wigan (Littlewoods Cup)	A
Sat. 22nd	Cardiff City	H
Mon. 24th	Wigan (Littlewoods Cup)	H
Sat. 29th	Scarborough	A
Mon. 31st	Peterborough United	H

SEPTEMBER

Sat. 5th	Hereford United	A
Sat. 12th	Halifax Town	H
Tue. 15th	Scunthorpe United	A
Sat. 19th	Torquay United	A
Mon. 21st	Littlewoods Cup 2	A
Sat. 26th	Hartlepool United	H
Tue. 29th	Tranmere Rovers	A

OCTOBER

Sat. 3rd	Wolverhampton Wanderers	H
Mon. 5th	Littlewoods Cup 2	A
Sat. 10th	Darlington	A
Sat. 17th	Carlisle United	H
Tue. 20th	Exeter City	H
Sat. 24th	Rochdale	A
Mon. 26th	Littlewoods Cup 3	A
Sat. 31st	Swansea City	H

NOVEMBER

Tue. 3rd	Newport County	A
Sat. 7th	Leyton Orient	H
Sat. 14th	F.A. Cup (1)	A
Mon. 16th	Littlewoods Cup 4	A
Sat. 21st	Burnley	A
Sat. 28th	Cambridge United	H

DECEMBER

Sat. 5th	F.A. Cup (2)	A
Fri. 11th	Colchester United	A
Sat. 19th	Wrexham	H
Sat. 26th	Hartlepool United	A
Mon. 28th	Stockport County	H

JANUARY

Fri. 1st	Scarborough	H
Sat. 2nd	Halifax Town	A
Sat. 9th	Cardiff City	A
Sat. 16th	Torquay United	H
Mon. 18th	Littlewoods Cup 5	A
Sat. 23rd	Scunthorpe United	H
Sat. 30th	Peterborough United	A

FEBRUARY

Sat. 6th	Hereford United	H
Mon. 8th	Littlewoods Cup S.F. 1	A
Fri. 12th	Stockport County	A
Sat. 20th	Crewe Alexandra	A
Mon. 22nd	Littlewoods Cup S.F. 2	A
Sat. 27th	Wolverhampton Wanderers	A

MARCH

Tue. 1st	Tranmere Rovers	H
Sat. 5th	Carlisle United	A
Sat. 12th	Darlington	H
Fri. 18th	Swansea City	A
Sat. 26th	Rochdale	H
Sat. 2nd	Leyton Orient	A

APRIL

Mon. 4th	Burnley	H
Sat. 9th	Exeter City	A
Sat. 23rd	Newport County	H
Sun. 24th	Littlewoods Cup Final	A
Fri. 29th	Cambridge United	A

MAY

Mon. 2nd	Colchester United	H
Sat. 7th	Wrexham	A
Sat. 14th	F.A. Cup Final	A

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TODAY'S REFEREE

Trevor Simpson (Sowerby Bridge)

Trevor is a qualified F.A. Coach and a former goalkeeper with Halifax Town. Commenced refereeing in 1966 and progressed through Halifax & District League eventually to the Northern Premier. Was elected to the Football League Linesmen's List in 1982 and moved into the middle in 1984. He has officiated on the line for the World Cup Qualifier between Belgium and Greece in 1985 and took a similar post in the 1985 F.A. Cup Semi-Final between Liverpool and Manchester United. Away from football, Trevor works for a Building Society, and his spare time is taken up acting in a Vice Presidents role for the Halifax & District Referees Association.



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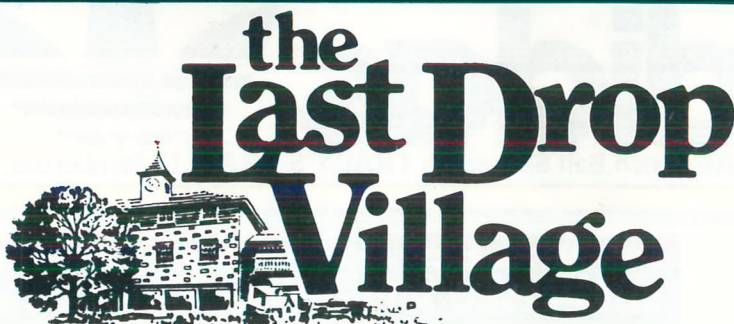
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